TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



SB 665 - HB 934

February 23, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases, from 200 to 300 feet, the distance of the required unobstructed view of stopped vehicles on any highway outside of a business or residential district.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenue - \$1,600

Increase Local Revenue – \$100

Assumptions:

- The Department of Safety estimates up to an additional 140 violations per year at an average fine of \$15.
- An 80 percent collection rate.
- An increase in fine revenue of \$1,680 (140 violations x \$15 fine x 80%).
- Local court clerks receive five percent of each fine. Local revenue will increase by \$84 (\$1,680 x 5%).
- State revenue will increase by \$1,596 (\$1,680 x 95%).

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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